

BUSINESS REPORT

**MONTANA HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
62nd LEGISLATURE - REGULAR SESSION**

HOUSE JUDICIARY COMMITTEE

Date: Monday, February 14, 2011
Place: Capitol

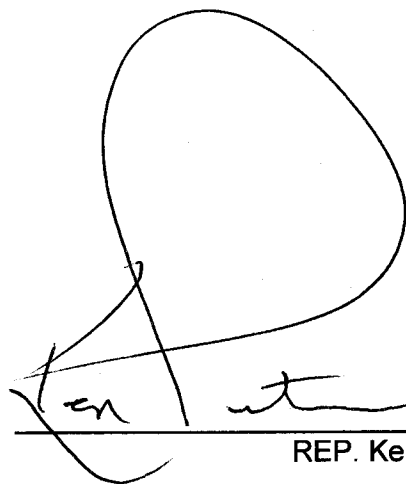
Time: 9:00 AM
Room: 137

BILLS and RESOLUTIONS HEARD:

HB 438 - Revise marriage dissolution laws by requiring counseling in certain instances
HB 490 - Constitutional amendment to define person

EXECUTIVE ACTION TAKEN:

Comments:

A large, stylized handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Ken Peterson', is written over a horizontal line.

REP. Ken Peterson, Chair

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Roll Call
JUDICIARY COMMITTEE

DATE: 2/14/2011

<u>NAME</u>	<u>PRESENT</u>	<u>ABSENT/ EXCUSED</u>
REP. KEN PETERSON, CHAIR	✓	
REP. KRAYTON KERNS, VICE CHAIR	✓	
REP. DIANE SANDS, VICE CHAIR		exc
REP. MIKE MENAHAN		✓
REP. ROBYN DRISCOLL		✓
REP. KEITH REGIER	✓	
REP. DAN SKATTUM	✓	
REP. CLEVE LONEY	✓	
REP. MARGARET MACDONALD		✓
REP. CAROLYN PEASE-LOPEZ	✓	
REP. MICHAEL MORE	✓	
REP. LIZ BANGERTER	✓	
REP. WENDY WARBURTON	✓	
REP. BOB WAGNER	✓	
REP. ELLIE BOLDMAN HILL		✓
REP. BILL HARRIS	✓	
REP. KRISTIN HANSEN		exc
REP. DAVID HOWARD	✓	
REP. JESSE O'HARA		✓
REP. JOE READ	✓	

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Witness Statement

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NAME: Berniece Stults BUDGET: _____

ADDRESS: 409 Bridgerview Drive DATE: 2/14/2011

WHOM DO YOU REPRESENT? myself

SUPPORT: X OPPOSE: _____ AMEND: _____

COMMENTS:

Please pass HB 490 to allow the
Citizens of Montana to vote on
the Personhood Amendment. Approximately
53,000,000. Persons have lost their lives
to the Lie that they had No right to
Life Liberty Pursuit of happiness. This pales
Such people as Hitler Stalin Mao. . .
My husband has worked in Muslim Countries
for 26 years. The Muslims begin counting
a "person's" age at birth as 1 year.
They definitely recognize a person Before
he/she is born. Please Please allow the
People of Montana to Vote on this
Bill in November 2012

Thank you for your Service
to those of us who have Survived to
Birth !

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NAME: Melinda C Freeman

BUDGET: _____

ADDRESS: 2950 Bayard

DATE: Feb. 14, 2012

WHOM DO YOU REPRESENT? myself

SUPPORT: X OPPOSE: _____ AMEND: _____

COMMENTS:

Bill 490

Thomas Jefferson has stated - the the first object of good government is to care for human beings not work to their destruction. The facts of Natural Law doesn't need to be defended, but we suffer the consequences when it is ignored or broken. Our economic woes can be seen to be exaggerated by the fact that we have in Montana, fewer taxpayers because these have been aborted or contracepted out of existence because these are not protected as persons under the law.

Melinda C Freeman

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Name	Representing	Support	Oppose
Moe Wosepka	Montana Catholic Conference	X	
Deanna Lenz	Self	X	
Jeff Caszloff	MT Family Foundation	X	
Scott Wagner	Self Kallispell	X	
Beth Brenneeman	Disability Rights Montana		X
Leslie Y Roman	lesliecloveshorsesmto@yahoo.com	X	X
A.C. Lane	self	X	
Patricia Tausen	SELF		X
Eric HUTCH	HARVEST CHURCH	X	
STEVE YEAKEL	SELF	X	
Alex Corcoran	NARAL Pro Choice MT		X
Julianne Crowley	Self		X
Janet Tatz	self		X
Karen M. Rausch	Self	X	
Tony Rausch	Self	X	
Blina Kuhl	MT Women Vote		X
Niki Zupanic	ACLU of MT		✓
Lindsay Love	PPMT		X
Kate Everhart	Private citizen		X
Mike Fellows	MTLP		X
CID Gatz	Self	✓	
Susan Getz	Self	X	

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Ed Higgins	Montana Legal Services Assn		X
Dallas Erickson	MCPL	X	
Douglas Forbes	Self	X	
Tony Rausert	"	X	
Karen "	"	X	
Lee Childs	"	X	
DR. PATRICK JOHNSTON	ASSN. OF PROLIFE PHYSICIANS	✓	
Linda J. Loendorf		X	
Terry Fike	Montana District LEADS		
Ann Bitach	Self	X	
Charlene Pulliam	Self	X	
Margaret Mullaly	Self	X	
Shari Hutch	Self	X	
Sharon Nason	Self	X	
Julianna Crowley	NARAL ProChoice Montana		X
Angel Nordquist	Self		X
Tannis Hargrove	Planned Parenthood		X
Ma Klenzmann	MCADSV		X
Hilly Marcano	Self	X	
Margaret McMillan	Self	X	
Dennis Lenz	Self	X	

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SPONSOR(S): _____

BRIEF DESCRIPTION: Requiring Counseling

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Name	Representing	Support	Oppose	Inform't'l
Vivian Allen	Family	X		
Vivian Allen	Self	✓		
Leana McNamee	Self	X		
Christina McNamee	Self	✓		
Anne Macy	Self	✓		
TIM McNamee	Self	✓		
B. D. W.	Self	✓		
Carol Schwend-Shope	Self	✓		
Sharon Lindeman Flynn	Self	✓		

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Name	Representing	Support	Oppose
GAYLE WOLD	self	X	
CAROL WOLD	self	X	
Anne Macy	self	✓	
Leana McNamee	self	X	
Christina McNamee	self	X	
Helen Longshore	self	X	
Melkie Freeman	self	X	
Hammy O'Sun	Self	X	
Arlette Randa	Self	X	
Quentin M. Rhodes	Self	X	
Thij Lata	family	X	
DAN MCGEE	self	X	
STUART VEITH	SELF/SOCIETY	X	
Sheila Veith	self	X	
Lynne Windbigler	self	X	
Mark Windbigler	self	X	
Berniece Stalc	Self	X	
Susan Sweetman	self	X	
Roland Sweetman	self	X	

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Name	Representing	Support	Oppose
Gail Asbury	Montana Pro-life Coalition	X	
Ronatee Skees	Self	X	
Carel Freeman	Lutherans for Life	X	
Steven James Wagner	Concord Community Church	X	
Janet Tatz	Self		X
Angel Nordqvist	Self		X
Tannis Hargrove	Planned Parenthood		X
Kelsy Hargrove	MCADSV		X
Garett Bacon	myself & Becky Bacon	X	
Rayne Halbrich	Montana ProLife Coalition	X	
ROBERT J. HARPER	BUTTE	X	
Greg Deluydt	Butte	X	
John Ruppert	Myself, Butte	X	
Charles Ruppert	Self, Butte	X	
Janet Hargrove	Self Butte	X	
Celeste Kressling	Personhood USA	X	
Scott Wagner	Kaispell	X	
Maghan Strachan	Helena		X
William H. Bierman	Kaispell	X	
Beth Brenneman	Disability Rights Montana		X
Lee Ann Bear	Self	X	
Gary Allen	Self	X	

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Susan Getz	Self	X	
Clarence Getz	Self	X	
Terry Forke	Montana District LCMS	X	
Olga J. Gubash	Alex & Doreen	X	
Charlene Pulliam	self	X	
Bill Myers	self	X	
Phyllis A. Lamping	Self	X	
W. H. W. W.	self	X	
Anne B. B.	MPLC self	X	
Lincoln Dzickowski	Self	X	
Lori Wegner	self	X	
Linda M. Jackson	self	X	
KATHLEEN Gummere	Self	X	
LARRY LATTIN	self	X	
Janet Bera	Self	X	
Shari Huth	self	X	
Loren Scranan	self	X	
Tony Lerner	self	X	
Sharon Nason	self	X	
Carolyn Robinson	self Lutheran for Life	X	
Rita Blake	League of Women Voters		X

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VICTORIA WOJCIECHOWSKI	SELF	X	
Russ Wahl	self	X	
Johanna E. Dasteel	American Life League	X	
Margaret Mullaly	Self	X	
HARRIS HIMES	Eagle Forum	X	
Dallas Erickson	MCPL	X	
Barclay Stockton	Self	X	
Christopher McVeda	Self	X	
Renee Phillips	Self	X	
Matthew Phillips	Self	X	
Douglas Forbes	Self	X	
Shirley HERRIN	Self	X	
A.C. Lane	Self	X	
Bethany Phillips	Self	X	
Julie Phillips	Self	X	
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Allen Padgett	Self	X	
LINDA PADGETT	Self	X	
Embrace M. Walker	Self	X	
ELIJAH WALKER	Self	X	
Josiah Walker	Self	X	
Natalie Boey	Self	X	

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Name	Representing	Support	Oppose	Inform't
XAVIER V. MERCADO II	Self	✓		
Xavier V. Mercado Sr.	Self	✓		
Scott Koljonen	Self	✓		
Janet Koljonen	self	✓		
Pam Dziukowski	self	✓		

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Name	Representing	Support	Oppose	Inform't'l
Mike Keeskes	wife and self	✓		
Karen Dufaul	self	✓		
Mariann Wenstrom	self & husband	✓		
Amy Skryja	self	✓		
Mary Rasmey	self	✓		
Lynn JOBBAN	self	✓		
Ronald Price	Self	✓		
Pendora Price	Self	✓		
Jean Mikkelsen	Self	✓		
Gary Hopkins	Family (8)	✓		

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Name	Representing	Support	Oppose	Inform't'l
STUART VETH	SELF	X		
Sheila Veith	self	X		
Vivian Allen	self	✓		
Tim McNeme	self	✓		
BD Williams	self	✓		
Jeremy mcNeme	self	✓		
Roland Horst	Montana Pro Life Coalition	X		
Marsha Swanson	Self Self	X		
Marie A. Portanova	self, MT Pro Life Coalition	X		
Lynn Marie Portanova	self, MT Pro Life Coalition	✓		
Sharon Lindeman Flynn	Self	X		
Christine Zarling	self	X		
Becky Stockton	self	X		
Helen Lewis	self	X		
Stacy Frasier	self		X	
MICHAEL BURRAH	SELF	X		

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Name	Representing	Support	Oppose	Inform't
Cassia Wagner	Self	X		
DR. J. PATRICK JOHNSTON	ASSN. OF PROLIFE PHYSICIANS ✓			
John Cozby, Pastor	self & 1 st Baptist Church	X		
Debbie G. Falkman	Self	X		
Kay Dylund	self	X		
Randi Meekins	self	X		
Sarah Dehart	self	X		
Alice Schuman	self	X		
Henry Schuman	self	X		
Bryce De Groot	self	X		
MARY ANN EVANS, MD	SELF	X		
CORT Freeman	"	X		
Melinda Freeman		X		
Jill Shepherd		X		